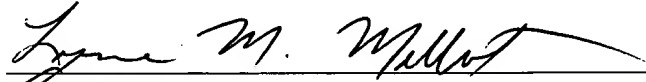


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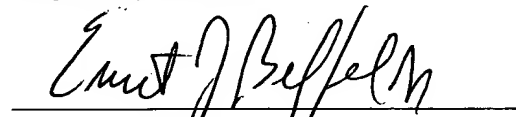
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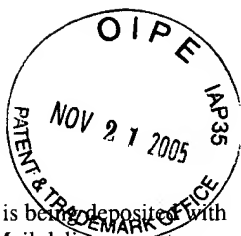
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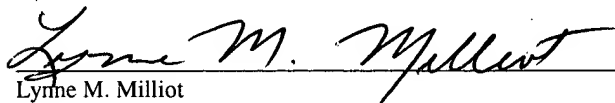
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In response to the Office Action mailed 20 September 2005, Applicants request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks.

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